

Dear Sirs,

I am a current customer of T-Mobile and am convinced that should this proposed merger be allowed by the FCC that it will result in higher prices and lower service quality.

Having been a customer of AT&T, I left that company's cellular service due to the pricing of the T-Mobile plans and to reduce the number of problems with my service.

If this merger is allowed to occur, there will be significantly fewer competitive options, especially for consumers who travel overseas but are domiciled within the United States.

Suggestions that since there are at least one or two other larger competitors that would prevent increases in prices ignores the oligarchical market forces that would allow for a gradual increase of prices by these overly large "competitors".

Having been through a second request while part of a public company (Fargo Electronics acquisition by Zebra Technologies), I am a firm believer in the power of the open market. However, this proposed acquisition of T-Mobile diminishes those market options.

Sincerely,

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